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# MR. ROOSEVELT ON THE ARMY

An Interesting View of the Situation Written In 1900 Which Is Soon to Be Published.

### RESPONSIBILITIES OF A CHIEF MAGISTRTAE

A Glance at the Army Organization, Which Is So Often the Target of the Demagogues, Bread and Butter Politician and Cheap Sensational Newspapers - No Occasion for Amiable People to Be Afraid of the Military Element-The American Army Has Never Been and Never Can Be a Menace to Anybody, Save America's Foes.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Boston, Oct. 29 .- In an article written for the Youth's Companion, which will published next week. Theodore Roosevelt gives his ideas of the duties and responsibilities of the president of the United States. Mr. Roosevelt wrote the article in 1900, while he was governor of New York, and previous to the Republican national convention which nominated him for vice-president. In it Mr. Roosevelt says:

The president of the United States oc-cupies a position of peculiar importance. In the whole world there is no other ruler, ertainly no other ruler under free instiitlens, whose power compares with his of course, there is the enormous personal actor of the incumbent himself to be con bered entirely apart from the power of e itself. This is merely another stating that in any office the ersonal question is always of vital con-

The senators are the constitutional advisers of the president. The secretaries who form the cabinet advise him on matters of general policy when he so desires it. With the senate, the advice and con-cultation are obligatory under the con-The senate has no right to dictate to the president who shall be appointed, but they have an entire right to say who wall not be appointed, for under the youstitution this has been made

their duty president the responsibility, there is upon him always a heavy burden of responsibility. It is easy enough to give a bad administration, but to give a good ad ministration demands the most auxious no less than very unusual powers of mind.

### The War Department.

There is every reason why the president should be held to a sharp accountability alike for what he does and for what he leaves undone. But we injure ourselves and the nation if we fail to treat with proper respect the man who In the highest office in our land, is striv-ing to do his duty. We have had presidents who have acted weakly or unwisely particular crises, but we have neve had one concerning whose personal in tegrity there was as much as a shadow of Appointments and which are nominally routine and unimportant may suddenly become of abso-lutely vital consequence. The war department was utterly neglected for over irty years after the Civil war. Neither e regular officer nor the regular soldier takes any part in polities, as a rule, so that the demagogue and bread and butter politicians have no fear of his votes, and to both of them, and also to the cheap sensational newspaper, the army offers a favorite subject for attack.

So it often happens that some amiable people really get a little afraid of the army, and have some idea that it may used some time or other against our liberties. army never has been and I on

sure, it will never be, or can be, a mennce to anybody save America's foes, o aught but a source of pride to every good and far-sighted American.

When an emergency like that caused by the Spanish war arises, the secretary of war becomes the most important officer Altogether there are few harder tasks

than that of filling well and ably the of-fice of president of the United States, But if the man at the close of his term is able to feel that he has done his duty well, he has the satisfaction of feeling that he has performed one of the great world tasks and that the mere perform ance is in itself the greatest of all possi ble rewards.

### NO NEW TESTIMONY.

#### Decision of Board of Inquiry in the Case of Bishop Talbot.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Harrisburg, Oct. 29 .- The board of inquiry convened by Rev. Thomas March Clark, of Rhode Island, the presiding bishop of the Episcopal church, to pass on the alleged new evidence offered by the presenters in the matter of the charges against Bishop Talbot, of Central Pennsylvania, growing out of the unfrocking of Rev. Dr. I. N. W. Irvine, former rector of the Episconat church at Huntingdon, met in this city today and decided that there was no new testimony.

The board's action was in the form of a resolution, which was unanimousadopted, that no further proceedings had on the charges preferred by Revs. J. Andrews Harris and D. L. Odell, of Philadelphia, against Bishop Talbot, and that the house of bishops be officially notified of the board's de-

### Verdict for Mr. Gould.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. lew York, Oct. 29.-A verdict for the endant, Howard Gould, was given toby the jury in the second trial of a age suit brought by Frank D. Mowwas at one time Mr. Gould's On the first trial, \$5,000 was awardthe plaintiff, but on appeal this was set aside and a re-trial was RIOTS IN PORTO RICO.

Violence and Disorder in Many Localities Are Reported. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Oct. 29.-Incomplete returns from various parts of the island regarding the last registration day, yesterday, confirms the reports that riots and shooting occurred in many towns and that violence was ised everywhere. The rumor that the federals were shut out at San Lorenzo, where a mob attacked the police, with he result that two of the rioters were killed and fifteen men, among whom were three policemen were desperately wounded, is also confirmed. It is added that the mob entered the town carrying a corpse at the head of the procession.

The police attempted to disperse the participants in a fight at Patillas, a Federal town, which was invaded by a large mob of Republicans from Guayamo, which forcibly took possession of the booths, shut out the Federals and registered the whole of the Guayamo non-resident party. In the shooting and rioting which ensued four men were badly wounded, including Corporal Cepero, of the insular police.

At Ponce, many shots were fired, but there were no casualties,

Minor disorders, stabbing and other woundings, have been reported from other towns.

### REAR END COLLISION **NEAR LANCASTER**

Passengers on the Harrisburg Express Have Narrow Escape from an Awful Catastrophe.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Lancaster, Pa., Oct. 29.-Passenger on the Harrisburg express, leaving this city at 7.15 o'clock this evening, faced a catastrophe of appalling possibilities and miraculously escaped with a vio-lent shaking up. The express was run-Murder Near Reading. ning at the rate of forty miles an hour, when it suddenly crashed into the rear of a freight train which was standing on the track at Dillerville, one mile northwest of this city. The engine of inexplicable cause, none of the cars were derailed.

their seats, but aside from the jar, no one was hurt. The escape of the engincer, Harry K. Thomas, and his fireman, C. H. Downes, of Harrisburg, was crawl out of the wreck, slightly scalded and bruised. The express engine and three freight cars at once caught fire and were consumed. The passenger cars were uncoupled and pulled back from the conflagration. Engineer Thomas had the usual orders of a clear track through to Harrisburg. The freight train was waiting for orders to go onto siding at Dillersville. The flagman of the latter waved a danger signal when he saw the express coming, but did not attract Engineer Thomas' attention until it was too late to avert a collision.

### MUSICIANS WILL STRIKE.

#### Parisian Theaters Are Liable Soon to Be Without Melody.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Paris, Oct. 29.-The musicians of the Paris theaters at a meeting today voted unanimously in favor of a general strike, beginning tomorrow at noon Twelve hundred musicians were report ed at the meeting.

The decision to strike is the result of a protracted conflict with the managers of the theatres over wages and extras for rehearsals and matinees. The managers insisted that the artists rehearse free and that the musicians should also do so. The strike affects most of the theaters of the city. The

the organization to win the fight. The meeting adopted resolutions to except the grand opera and the opera comique from the strike movement because these houses receive government subventions. All the other theaters of Paris, however, are included.

managers rely on non-strikers outside

## DEATHS OF A DAY.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Stroudsburg, Pa., Oct. 29.-After an III less of three years, William F. Bush proprietor of the popular summer resort, Locust Grove House, East Stroudsburg for a period of about forty years, died at his late residence last evening, aged a few months over \$4 years. General debility.

following complete paralysis, was the cause of death. Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 29 .- Charles H. Farris, superintendent of Pittsburg detective agency, died suddenly of pneumonia in this city tonight. Since the beginning of the coal strike he had charge of special officers sent here by the detective agency to guard the property of the coal

Reading, Pa., Oct. 29 .- Rev. Aaron Fin. frock, one of the best known Lutheran ministers of Eastern Pennsylvania, died at his home here today, ager 72 years He was born in Frederick, Md. wa graduated from the Pennsylvania College and Theological seminary at Gettysburg, and was ordained in 1859. He occupied pulpits in Womelsdorf for thirty-flye years and came to this city five years ago. Philadelphia. Oct. 29.—Former Judge James A. Logan, general solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, died sud-denly tonight at his home in Bala, a suburb of this city. Judge Logan was born in Westmoreland county, this state, in in Westmoreland county, this state, in 1840. He studied law in Greensburg and was set aside and a re-trial was practiced there until elected to the bench. Mowbray claimed that he lost in 1878 he was appointed assistant general tof one eye while in Mr. Gould's solicitor of the Pennsylvania raliroad and became general solicitor in 1885.

### CONTEMPTIBLE ASSAULT.

#### Workmen at Pittsburg Throw Concrete Blocks at Soldiers.

Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Piltsburg, Pa., Oct. 29,-A scene, denunced by bystanders as contemptible and outrageous, marked the return of the soldiers of the Fourteenth regiment from the anthracite region today. While passing down Fifth avenue they were assailed with chunks of concrete, blocks of wood as large as bricks, and even tools, thrown from the twenty-first floor of the new Farmers' Deposit Bank building, a distance of 275 feet, by work-

The act was evidently premeditated, for the workmen had collected enough missles to be able to keep up the assault the whole time the regiment was passing.

That no one was seriously hurt is re-

When the soldiers realized that the missiles were aimed at them, a line was quickly formed on the opposite pavement, an officer gave the command to load: but the commanding officer countermanded the order and no shots were fired.

#### JUDGE PENNYPACKER'S CAMPAIGN TOUR

Addresses Large Crowds at Doylestown and Lansdale.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Norristown, Oct. 29 .- Judge Penny packer addressed audiences today in Doylestown and Lansdale and tonight appeared before a large audience in this town. His address here was brief.

He said in part: "I have never sought the office of governor of Pennsylvania. I do not seek it now. I have asked no man in the state to vote for me. The responsibility of the election rest upon you. Should I be elected next Tucsday, then appreciation of the great confidence reposed in me, I shall accept the office, upon the face of the earth because it is the highest executive office in the greatest of the American commonwealths. And I shall go forward to the performance of my duties with a sense of responsibility and with a determination to perform those duties to the very utmost of my abilities."

### DOG FINDS THE BODY.

## Murder Near Reading.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Reading, Mass., Oct. 29 .- A huntsman's dog found the body of a murdered woman just off the well-traveled the express ploughed far in . ilw hast highway near the Wakefield line this car of the freight train which was an afternoon. Walter Locks, whose dog empty box car, and there it stuck. drew him to the place, found the body to be warm and with six wounds the head, five of them from pistol bul-The violence of the compact shat- lets, while the sixth which had gashed tered the windows of the passenger the left car and plunged deep in the coaches and hurled the passengers from neck, had been made by some sharp instrument.

There was every indication that the murder itself had been committed elsewhere and that the body had been even more remarkable. By the roof of taken from a wagon and dragged into the freight car they were knocked down the field where it was found. The against their fire-box, but managed to dress of the woman seemed to indicate a person prepared for long journeys on foot in all sorts of weather.

### TROOPERS AT AUDENRIED.

#### Men Will Occupy an Abandoned Frame Building.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 29.-The Second City troop, of Philadelphia, arrived at Audenried, a short distance south of here, from Wilkes-Barre, tonight. The men will be quartered in an abandoned frame building that has been fitted up for their occupancy, and their horses will be sheltered in the coal companies' stables near the town. It is understood that the two battalions of the Third regiment at Audenried will be withdrawn the latter part of the week. Colonel Bowman, in command of the First regiment, tonight sent a detail of

troops to Hazlebrook to protect the nomes of several non-union workmen from the attacks of an angry crowd.

#### DEATH OF J. A. MORGAN. A "Straight Out" Democrat Driven

#### to Suicide by Fusionists. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 29 .- John A. Morgan, a leader of the "Straight Out" Democratic party of Norfolk county. which faction has ben fighting the organization of fusionists, for several years, blew his brains out at his residence here today. He was found by a

servant in his room in Berkley. On a table was a note which stated that it had been said that his death would smooth the waters of the county politics, and if such was the case it could be shown now. His wife was visiting her daughter in New York, when the affair occurred.

### Six Millions in Glue.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Trenton, N. J., Oct. 25.-The Glue cor poration of Jersey City was incorporated here today, with a capital of \$5.000,000, divided in to \$2.000,000 bearing 8 per cent. umulative dividends and \$4,000,000 common stock. The company is to manufac-ture gine or any articles in which give enters as a part. The incorporators are Noci Gale and John F. Chariton, of New and Richard F. Tully, of Jerse

#### Half-Breed Held for Murder. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Hedford, Pa., Oct. 29 .- George Leighty, half-breed miner, of Kearney, near here was arrested today on the charge of mur-Eli Chamberlain was found dead or the railroad Tuesday and he was sup-posed to have been killed by a train. Later developments brought suspicion por Leighty and sufficient evidence was produced at the hearing to warrant his

### Two New Cruisers for England.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. London, Oct. 29 .- The admiralty has o fered the construction of two new cruis

## CELEBRATING MITCHELL DAY

The Principal Demonstration of the Anthracite Region Is Held at Wilkes-Barre.

### **EVERYBODY WORE A** JOHN MITCHELL BADGE

A Day of Snow and Sunshine-The Banners Carried.

By Evelusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 29.-Mitchell day was celebrated in all the principal towns of the anthracite coal region today, and in order that all the mine werkers might have an opportunity to participate in the exercises, the mines were closed down. The principal demonstration was held in this city, and President Mitchell took part. In the early morning there was bright sunshine, but towards noon, the time for the big parade to move, it became squally and snow fell for several nanwithout any sense of elation, with an utes. This was followed by more sunshine and then more snow. But the changeable weather did not keep an which I regard as one of the highest army of strangers out of town. They came in street and steam cars and all other kinds of vehicles, and when the noon hour approached the streets in the central part of the city were packed with people. Everybody wore a John Mitchell badge. The procession started shortly before noon and was nearly one hour in passing a given point. As the weather was cold, the marching was rapid and there were few delays. It is estimated that there were ten thousand men in line. The parade was headed by a platoon of police. Then came the chief marshal, National Organizer John Fallon. The chief officer was followed by carriages containing the principal officers of the United Mine Workers' organization and invited guests. President Mitchell, Mother Jones, Rev. Powers, of Spring Valley, Ill., and Thomas Haggerty, of Reynoldsville, Pa., occupied the first carriage.

President Mitchell was given an ovation all along the line of march, and whenever his carriage stopped the crowd from the sidewalk pressed around and insisted on shaking his hand. An American flag was carried at the head of every "local," and brass bands by the score furnished music. The banners carried bore many curious inscriptions. Some of them read as follows: "By Arbitration We Hope to Gain

Our Just Demands." "Unity and Friendship Make Peace. "We Were too Much for Baer." "Hail to Mitchell, Chief of Men, Who

Drove the Baer Into His Den." "We Will Never Forsake Our Union." "We Will Stand by Our Great Leader,

Mitchell.' "God Eless Our Country and Our Union. "We Honor and Respect Our Presi-

lents, Roosevelt and Mitchell." After the parade a mass meeting wa neld at Y. M. C. A. park, Rev J. J. Curran, of Holy Saviour church, this city, was elected chairman. He introduced as the first speaker, Rev. J. F. Powers, of Spring Valley, Ill. Powers said he had known John Mitchell since boyhood and he always found him noble and upright. He was delighted to see the great tribute paid him by the hard coal miners. They had just fought a battle which had been fought in Illinois some years ago, The bituminous operators were now satisfied that an agreement with the United Mine Workers was a good thing and no doubt the hard coal operators would soon come to the same conclusion. Rev. James Moore, of the Primitive Methodist church of Avoca, ad-

union. Thomas Haggerty, of Reynoldsville Pa., who was down on the programme as the principal speaker of the day eulogized Mitchell for his great work in behalf of the miners. Several addresses in foreign languages then followed.

#### President Mitchell's Speech. President Mitchell was the last peaker. He was received with great cheering. He said in part:

Language is inadequate to express the gratitude I feel for the great reception I have received at the hands of the annoon, bracite miners, and I feel that the vicmen, women and children who made so many sacrifices. I hope that there will never again be a strike in the coal field of Pellasylvania. I want the union miners to prove that they are better workmen than the non-union men. I desire the men and the operators to meet. I do not want to make enemies of the operators. In closing, I wish to impress upon you that membership in the union is the only safeguard. The operators are not going to pay the bill of the strike. They will make the workers pay it if they can, but if not they will make the public pay it. It behooves th nine workers, therefore, to see to it that they are not made the victims, and I ope you will be true to yourselves and o one another and see to it that the ost of this greatest labor struggle that has ever occurred is not placed on you oacks. Stick by your union and the mion will stick by you.

President Mitchell was busy tonigh ompleting his plans for the first meetng of the arbitration board at its eeting in Scranton, tomorrow. Prof. Weyl, of Philadelphia, is assisting Mr. Mitchell in preparing his case for presentation; also Dr. Peter Roberts, of

#### lege for writing a book on the anthracite coal industry. He is at present pastor of the Congregational church of Mahanoy City. THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

National Observance.

# hanksgiving to God.

City Packed with People-It Is Estimated That Ten Thousand Men Were in Line-The President of the Mine Workers Receives an Ovation All Along the Line-Mr. Mitchell's Speech-Some of the

High we are striving earnestly to achieve manifold blessingss of the past year, my hand and eaused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-sevthe President.

#### Colonel O'Neill Says Soldiers Will Be Out of Region by Tomorrow. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

regiment, which has been stationed at Duryea, this county, has been recalled. Three companies left for home tonight. Company A, of York, and Company B, f Harrisburg, will not leave until tomorrow night or Friday morning. The companies that were recalled today are from Pottsville and Shamokin. Companies C, I and G, of the Eighth, stationed at Parsons, will break camp on Friday. Orders have also been issued for the withdrawal of the Fourth regiment, which has been stationed at Nan-

regiment, says all his soldiers will be out of the region by Friday. The Ninth regiment expects to get orders to leave the field on Friday.

### Flakes of the "Beautiful."

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Altoona, Oct. 29.-This section of Pennsylvania was swept by a snow storm at dawn this morning. Over in inch of snow fell, and all day there have been snow flurries, with the tem-

New York, Oct. 29 .- Snow fell today throughout western and northern New York. At most places it melted rapid-

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 29.-Snow to the depth of two inches fell this morning in the Allegheny mountoins at Elkins and Fairfax, W. Va., Oakland, Md., and Sand Patch, Pa. There was a slight flurry here. Almost zero weather s reported at Elkins.

# SAFE CRACKERS ARRESTED.

By Exclusive Wite from The Associated Press. Irwin, Pa., Oct. 29 .- A report reached here today that part of the gang of safe crackers who looted the Westmore

here. According to the report, one of the white men and the negro in the gang phia; great keeper of wampum, Mingot into a quarrel over a division of erva Mayers, Harrisburg. The report the spoils. A fight resulted and the colored man was all but stabbed to death. Officers left for the scene shortly after dinate to the national council instead

#### George Harrison Receives 1,500 Volts from Incandescent Lamp.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. dence had been crossed by a power circuit on the outside. Harrison was the son of George W

the West Virginia Central Railroad company.

#### Prince Leaves for Boston. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press,

New York, Oct. 29 .- The crown prince of Siam left this city today in a special car hundred cars or 20,000 tons and will for Boston. He was accompanied by his Philadelphia by tomorrow afternoon. ulte and party which includes ninet

### Altoona Soldiers Return.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Altoona, Oct. 29.-The western battalion powerful and probably the fastest vessels of their kind in the world. Their speed is expected to exceed 26 knots.

Mahanoy City, an authority on the air of the First regiment, which has received a degree from Yale col- this morning with all well.

# President Roosevelt Sets Nov. 27 for

Washington, Oct. 29.-President Roose velt today issued his proclamation designating Thursday, November 27, as a day of thanksgiving.

The proclamation follows: According to the yearly custom of our people, it falls upon the president at this season to appoint a day of festival and

Over a century and a quarter has passed ince this country took its place among the nations of the earth, and during that time we have had, on the whole, more to be thankful for than has fallen to the lot of any other people. Generation after generation has grown to manhood and passed away. Each has had to bear its peculiar burdens, each to face its special crises, and each has known years of grim trial, when the country was menaced by malice, domestic or foreign levy; when the hand of the Lord was heavy upon it in drought or flood or pestilence; when in bodily distress and anguish of soul it paid the penalty of folly and a froward heart. Nevertheless, decade by decade, we have struggled onward and upward we now abundantly enjoy material well being, and under the favor of the Most

moral and spiritual uplifting.

The year that has just closed has been one of peace and of overflowing plenty. Rarely has any people enjoyed greater prosperity than we are now enjoying For this we render heartfelt and solemn thanks to the Giver of Good, and we seek to praise Him not by words only but by deeds, by the way in which we do our duty to our selves and to our fellow men. Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States, do hereby designate as a day of general thanksgiv ing Thursday, the 27th day of the coming November, and do recommend that throughout the land the people cease from their ordinary occupations and in their several homes and places of worship render thanks unto Almighty God for the In witness whereof, I have hereunto set

Done at the city of Washington, this 29th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and two,

John Hay, Secretary of State,

# EIGHTH REGIMENT RECALLED.

Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 29.-The Eighth

ticoke and Plymouth. Colonel O'Neill, the commander of the

### FIRST FALL OF SNOW.

## Some Sections Kissed by Feathery

perature at the freezing point. A high vind has been blowing.

#### Their Location Revealed by a Quarrel Over Division of the Spoils. vised the miners to stand by their

land Coal company's office in West Irwin, yesterday, were surrounded in the Philadelphia; great minnehaha, Emma vicinity of New Linesburg, north of

### KILLED BY ELECTRICITY.

Piedmont, W. Va., Oct. 29.-While crewing an incandescent lamp into a socket at his home this evening, 1,500 [Gurst, New York, Liverpool-Arrived; electric volts passed through the body of George W. Harrison, Jr., killing him ustantly. The wire which furnished the electric light current for the resi-

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

# DISTURBANCES IN MOROCCO

## TOUR OF PATTISON PARTY. The Campaigners at Mauch Chunk

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Allentown, Pa., Oct. 29,-Representaive Joseph W. Mayne escorted the Patison campaigning party here from Mauch Chunk this evening. Ex-State Chairman Robert E. Wright, who is a nember of the state campaign commit tee, received the visitors and gave them luncheon at his home. With ex-Gov. rnor Pattison were James Nolan, of Reading, candidate for secretary of in ternal affairs: ex-Attorney General W. C. Hensel, of Lancaster; John S. Rillng, of Erie, chairman of the state campaign committee; John F. Ancona, of Reading, chairman of the Berks county committee; A. M. Palmer, of Strouds ourg, district chairman, and Dr. J. R Shull, of Stroudsburg, candidate for

and Allentown.

congress from the Ninth district. A mass meeting was opened at 8 o'clock in Lyric theatre, and the audience was limited only by the capacity of the house, which is two thousand Dr. W. H. Hartzell, who was the unsuccessful candidate for mayor in 1888, presided, Speeches were made Messrs, Pattison, Nolan and Hensel.

### BATTLE AT CARUPANO.

After a Hard Fight with the Government Soldiers, the Rebels Retreat-Many Killed.

#### By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, Oct.

29.-News has been received here that his chance of success. the town of Carupano, state of Bermulese, Venezuela, was attacked by revolutionary forces Sunday and Monday of this week. After a hard fight with the government soldiers, in which the rebels lost one cannon and had a number of men killed and wounded, they retreated. The government accuses the revolutionists of having burned fortythree houses in Carupano. These charges are denied by the revolutionists, who say that the houses in question were

burned as a result of the fighting. The French steamer D'Estres has left La Guiara with M. Quievreux, the French charge d'affaires in Venezuela. If he does not succeed in doing so the on board. M. Quievereux goes to investigate the situation along the coast. here this morning with 1,000 soldiers on board, bound for La Guiara. These troops are to reinforce President Castro, who is still inactive at La Victoria,

### THREE GIRLS KILLED.

#### Daughters of a Negro Farmer Murdered During Father's Absence. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 29 .- A special

from Wynne, Ark., says: "Mary, Sophie and May Gibson, aged 17, 12 and 10 years respectively, daughters of Thomas Gibson, a prosperous negro farmer, were killed, and one of them was the victim of a criminal assault at their home near here yesterday. The murders occurred while the father of the girls was away from home attending a circus, leaving the three girls alone in the house. Upon his return he found the bodies of two of the girls with their heads crushed while the body of the third lay in the yard terribly mutilated. The girl had peen subjected to the most atrocious indignities. Posses composed of both blacks and whites were formed and David Cross, an old negro, was arrested. Cross denied all knowledge of the crime, but finally confessed that he had witnessed the killing and said that a negro named Johnson was the guilty

#### man. POCAHONTAS OFFICIALS.

### The Great Sun's Council Elects Offi-

cers at Philadelphia. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Philadelphia, Oct. 29.-The Great Suns ouncil of the Degree of Pocahontas, in session here, today elected the fol-

lowing officers:

of the state council,

Great pocahontas, Sallie Clouser, Reading; great wenonah, Anna Miller, by a blast before they had time to Maurer, Reading; great prophetess, Anna J. Fulmer, Easton; great keeper his skull being fractured. He was reof records, Pauline De Baufe, Philadelshowed the membership to be 14.66%. The council voted to become subor

### Steamship Arrivals.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press, New York, Oct. 29.—Arrived: Rotter-dam, Amsterdam, Cleared: La Savole, Havre; Rotterdam, Amsterdam, Sailed Philadelphia, Southampton; Mejestic, Liv-erpool. Bremen-Arrived: Grosser Kur-Oceanic, New York, Sailed: Teutonic New York via Queenstown, Rotterdam-Arrived: Potsdam, New York via Bou logue Sur Mer. Lizard—Passed: Louis, New York for Southampton.

#### Flow of Anthracite from Reading. Harrison, general passenger agent of By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Reading, Oct. 29 .- During the last twen ty-four hours, fifteen long trains, nearly 20,000 tons of anthracite coal passed through this city. Toright at 12 o'clock the trains which will be credited to to-morrow's run were started from the col-This consisted of about sever lieries.

### Snow Falls in Maryland.

Hagerstown, Md., Oct. 29.—The first snow of the season fell here this morn-ing. There was a light flurry and the flakes melted as fast as they fell. There was a heavier fall on the mountain,

### Missionary George G. Reed Regards the Situation as Veru Grave Indeed.

### DIFFICULT WORK IS BEFORE THE SULTAN

Unless He Succeeds in Crushing the Disloyal Tribes Who Have Been the Chief Movers in the Recent Raids and Robberies, Trouble Is Bound to Thicken - Americans Caught Like Rats in a Trap in

#### Mequinez. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Gibraltar, Oct. 29.-In view of the disturbed condition of the interior of Morocco considerable interest was canifested today in the departure from here of Commissioner Langerman, of the St. Louis exposition, who started for Tangier and Fez to enlist the interest of the sultan of Morocco and se-

cure an important Moroccan exhibit at the fair. The fact that Mr. Langerman is vice onsul general at Tangier, and that he is familiar with Morocco, and the friend of influential officials enhances

A letter received from George C. Reed, a Kansas missionary at Mequinez, with several other Americans, indicates that numerous interior tribes have broken out. Mr. Reed says: . "I consider the situation grave indeed. If the sultan is able to call the loyal tribes to his aid quickly and thoroughly punish the rebellious girwans. who were the chief movers in the recent raid and robberies, he will make his position all the more secure; but trouble is bound to thicken. If I were The government gunboat Zamora left in Morocco merely for my health I would make for the coast as soon as possible, though at present we are as

#### in a trap. REST IN MOLINEUX CASE. Evidence of Prosecution Is All in

securely locked up in Mequinez as rats

Defense May Occupy Two Days. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, Oct. 29.-The prosecution in the Molineux case rested today, after the defense had secured an important advantage in the decision by Justice Lambert that the reading of the testimony given at the first trial by Mamie Melando and Detective Farrell, both of whom are beyond the jurisdic-

tion of the court was inadmissable. The greater part of the session was devoted to the examination of a handwriting expert, who, like all those who have preceded him, testified that one hand wrote the poison package address, the Barnet and Cornish letters and letters admittedly written by Molineux. The presentation of the case for the defense is expected to eccupy not more than two days, and interest centres in the question whether Molineux

#### THREE ROCKMEN INJURED. Serious Accident at the Holden Mine Yesterday.

will testify in his own behalf.

Three rockmen were ladly injured by the premature explosion of a blast in the Holden mine at Taylor yesterday. They were Gwilym Thomas, of 422 Raymond court; Tallie Thomas, of Taylor, and William Beynon, of West Scranton.

The men were engaged in blasting away a huge mass of rock and were caught by the flying fragments caused reach a place of safety. Gwilyn Thomas was the most badly injured, moved to the Moses Taylor hospital, where his condition is serious. other men received painful bruises and uts and were taken to their homes.

#### Dwyer Defeats Comstock. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 29 .- M. J. Dwydefeated J. C. Comstock, of Detroit, in handicap wrestling match here tonight. By agreement Comstock was to throw Dwyer four times in an hour without being thrown. After Comstock had won two falls, Dwyer put Comstock's shoulders to the mat, winnig the match.

## Pension Granted.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 29.-An 88 pension has een granted Jonathan B King, of Nay

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### WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Oct. 29.-Porecust for Thursday and Friday: Elastern Pennsylvania—Fair Thursday and Friday; slowly rising temperature; fresh northwest winds, diminishing. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*